IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:)
Manaw MODI	Group Art Unit: 3622
Application No. 10/787,208) Examiner: Ahmed, Affaf
Filed: February 27, 2004))) Confirmation No. 4685
For: METHODS, SYSTEMS, AND ARTICLES OF MANUFACTURE FOR PROVIDING INCENTIVES FOR A FINANCIAL ACCOUNT)

Mail Stop: RCE

Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

REPLY TO OFFICE ACTION

In reply to the final Office Action mailed October 2, 2009, the period for response extending through February 2, 2010, by a request for extension of a one (1) month and fee payment filed concurrently herewith, and as a submission under 37 C.F.R. § 1.114 with the concurrently-filed Request for Continued Examination, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

Amendments to the Claims begin on page 2 this paper.

Remarks follow the amendments section of this paper.